

SUBCOMMITTEE: ELEMENTARY & SECONDARY EDUCATION

HOUSE BILL NO. 753

AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE

(Proposed by the House Committee on Appropriations

on _____)

(Patron Prior to Substitute--Delegate Rasoul)

A BILL to require the Department of Education to develop guidance standards for social-emotional learning for all public school students; report.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. § 1. The Department of Education shall (i) establish a uniform definition of social-emotional learning and develop guidance standards for social-emotional learning for all public students in grades kindergarten through 12 in the Commonwealth; (ii) make such standards available to each local school division no later than July 1, 2021; and (iii) issue a report no later than November 1, 2021, on the resources needed to successfully support local school divisions with the implementation of a statewide social-emotional learning program.

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